

WARRANT

TOWN OF BURRILLVILLE

WARNING FOR

GENERAL ELECTION

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE, S.C.

TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE, October 22, 2004

By the Town Clerk of the Town of Burrillville, R.I.

To: Col. Bernard E. Gannon, or any patrolman of the Town of Burrillville.

You are hereby directed to notify and warn the qualified Electors of said Town of Burrillville to assemble in District Meeting in said Town, on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2004

Where the Polls will open at 7:00 o'clock A.M. and close at 9:00 o'clock P.M.

The Electors will meet in the following places, viz:

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 1

The Electors in Representative District #47, Voting Districts #1 will meet at the Pascoag Fire Station, Hose #1, Pascoag Main St., Pascoag

The Electors in Representative District #47, Voting District #2 will meet at the Beckwith-Bruckshaw Memorial Lodge, Lodge Road, Bridgeton

The Electors in Representative District #47, Voting Districts #3 will meet at the Burrillville High School, East Avenue, Harrisville

The Electors in Representative District #47, Voting Districts #4 will meet at the Harrisville Fire Station, Callahan School Street, Harrisville

The Electors in Representative District #47, Voting Districts #5 will meet at the Oakland-Mapleville Fire Station, Victory Highway, Mapleville

The Electors in Representative District #48, Voting Districts #6 will meet at the Nasonville Fire Station, Victory Highway, Nasonville

The Electors voting a limited ballot will meet at the Town Building, 105 Harrisville Main Street, Harrisville

And proceed to give in their ballots as follows:

The said qualified ELECTORS in each aforesaid Voting District will give in their ballots according to law for PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

The said qualified ELECTORS in each aforesaid Voting District will give in their ballots according to law for one REPRESENTATIVE to represent the FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT of the STATE OF RHODE ISLAND in the CONGRESS of the UNITED STATES OF

AMERICA.

The said qualified ELECTORS in each aforesaid Voting District will give in their ballots according to law for one SENATOR from the SENATORIAL DISTRICT, namely the 23th Senatorial District whose boundary lines include all of the Towns of Burrillville and Glocester and part of the Town of North Smithfield to represent said SENATORIAL DISTRICT CONSTITUENTS in the RHODE ISLAND ASSEMBLY.

The said qualified ELECTORS in each aforesaid Voting District will give in their ballots according to law for one REPRESENTATIVE from each of the REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS, namely the 47th Representative District whose boundary lines include part of the Town of Burrillville and part of the Town of Glocester and the 48th Representative District whose boundary lines include part of the Town of Burrillville and all of the Town of North Smithfield.

The said qualified ELECTORS in each aforesaid Voting District will give in their ballots according to law for TOWN OFFICES for the ensuing four years, as follows: THREE TOWN COUNCIL MEMBERS AND THREE NON-PARTISAN SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

The said qualified ELECTORS in each aforesaid Voting District will give in their ballots according to law for the approval or rejection of the following state questions:

- 1. AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE – SEPARATION OF POWERS (Section 1 of Article XIV of the Constitution)**

The approval of the following proposed amendments to the Constitution of the state are intended to have the collective effect of ensuring the separation of governmental power among the three branches of state government: the legislative branch, the executive branch and the judicial branch:

a. Article III, Section 6 of the Constitution shall be amended to read as follows:

Section 6. Holding of offices under other governments. – Senators and representatives not to hold other appointed offices under state government. -- No person holding any office under the government of the United States, or of any other state or country, shall act as a general officer or as a member of the general assembly, unless at the time of taking such engagement that person shall have resigned the office under such government; and if any general officer, senator, representative, or judge shall, after election and engagement, accept any appointment under any other government, the office under this shall be immediately vacated; but this restriction shall not apply to any person appointed to take deposition or acknowledgement of deeds, or other legal instruments, by the authority of any other state or country.

No senator or representative shall, during the time for which he or she was elected, be appointed to any state office, board, commission or other state or quasi-public entity exercising executive power under the laws of this state, and no person holding any

executive office or serving as a member of any board, commission or other state or quasi-public entity exercising executive power under the laws of this state shall be a member of the senate or the house of representatives during his or her continuance in such office.

b. Article V of the Constitution shall be amended to read as follows:

The powers of the government shall be distributed into three (3) separate and distinct departments: the legislative, the executive and the judicial.

c. Article VI, Section 10 of the Constitution shall be deleted in its entirety.

d. Article IX, Section 5 of the Constitution shall be amended to read as follows:

Section 5. Powers of appointment. – The governor shall, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, appoint all officers of the state whose appointment is not herein otherwise provided for and all members of any board, commission or other state or quasi-public entity which exercises executive power under the laws of this state; but the general assembly may by law vest the appointment of such inferior officers, as they deem proper, in the governor, or within their respective departments in the other general officers, the judiciary or in the heads of departments.

2. CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION (Section 2 of Article XIV of the Constitution) Shall there be a convention to amend or revise the Constitution?

3. TRANSPORTATION BONDS \$66,520,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$66,520,000 to match federal funds, provide direct funding for improvements to the state’s highways, roads and bridges; replace or repair transportation maintenance facilities, and purchase buses for the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority’s bus fleet.

4. REGIONAL CAREER AND TECHNICAL SCHOOL BONDS \$15,000,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$15,000,000 to construct, renovate, and rehabilitate the state’s regional career and technical schools.

5. HIGHER EDUCATION RESIDENCE HALLS BONDS \$50,000,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$50,000,000 to provide \$20,000,000 to construct, renovate and rehabilitate residence halls at the University of Rhode Island and \$30,000,000 to construct a new residence hall at Rhode Island College.

6. CRANSTON STREET ARMORY BONDS \$12,300,000 (Chapter 595 –

Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$12,300,000 to restore the historic Cranston Street Armory facility for use as an archives and records center and make space available for either office or educational use.

7. EMERGENCY WATER INTERCONNECT BONDS \$10,000,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$10,000,000 to provide \$5,000,000 for matching grants to local water suppliers to develop interconnections between and among water systems to be used in the event of an emergency and \$5,000,000 to complete the Shad Factory Pipeline to preserve Rhode Island water rights to two Massachusetts reservoirs.

8. OPEN SPACE, RECREATION, BAY AND WATERSHED PROTECTION BONDS \$70,000,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$70,000,000 to provide \$19,000,000 for anti-pollution projects and restoration activities benefiting Narragansett Bay and state watersheds, \$43,000,000 for open space, farmland preservation, and recreational development, and \$8,000,000 for acquisition of land for groundwater protection and supply.

9. PELL LIBRARY – UNDERSEA EXPLORATION CENTER BONDS \$14,000,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this

question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$14,000,000 to renovate, rehabilitate and construct an addition to the Pell Marine Science Library at the University of Rhode Island's Graduate School of Oceanography, Narragansett Bay Campus.

10. ATHLETIC PERFORMANCE CENTER/MEADE STADIUM BONDS \$6,700,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$6,700,000 to construct an Athletic Performance Center at the University of Rhode Island and renovate existing facilities at Meade Stadium and Keaney Gymnasium at the University of Rhode Island.

11. HISTORIC PRESERVATION AND HERITAGE BONDS \$3,000,000 (Chapter 595-Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$3,000,000 to fund capital preservation for renovation projects for public and nonprofit historic sites, museums and cultural art centers located in historic structures in the State of Rhode Island.

12. REHABILITATION OF STATE OWNED FACILITIES BONDS \$46,500,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$46,500,000 to begin to purchase, build or

modify state facilities for state agency use to reduce the state's reliance on leased space.

13. UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND CENTER FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY AND LIFE SCIENCES BONDS \$50,000,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will allow the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$50,000,000 for the construction of the University of Rhode Island Center for Biotechnology and Life Sciences.

14. QUONSET POINT/DAVISVILLE BONDS \$48,000,000 (Chapter 595 – Public Laws 2004) Approval of this question will authorize the State of Rhode Island to issue general obligation bonds, refunding bonds, and temporary notes in an amount not to exceed \$48,000,000 for road and utility infrastructure, building demolition, site preparation, and pier rehabilitation at the Quonset Point/Davisville Industrial Park.

The said qualified ELECTORS in each aforesaid Voting District will give in their ballots according to law or the approval or rejection of the following local questions:

15. CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPPING AND FURNISHING OF A TOWN LIBRARY AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$5,000,000 BONDS THEREFORE (Chapter 36 – Public Law 2002) “Shall an act passed at the 2002 session of the general assembly entitled, ‘An Act Authorizing the Town of Burrillville To Finance The Construction, Equipping and Furnishing of a Town Library and To Issue Not More Than \$5,000,000.00 Bonds Therefore’ be approved?”

16. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – TOWN COUNCIL (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004)
Shall the provision that relates to “Qualifications” of Councilors be changed to read as follows? “A member of the Town Council shall hold no employment in the service of the Town of Burrillville nor shall he/she serve in any office or on any board or commission appointed by the Town Council, except in a non-voting ex officio capacity. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the Town Council members from serving on subcommittees of the Town Council or from serving on the Board of Administration in accordance with Section 19.02 of this Charter. A member of the Town Council shall not be eligible for appointment to any paid office in the Town during the term for which he/she was elected to the Town Council or for one (1) year thereafter”. (Amends Section 3.03)

17. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - TOWN COUNCIL (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004)
Shall the provision that relates to “Compensation” of councilors be changed to read as follows? \“The Town Council may, from time to time, fix the annual salary of each councilor and of the President of the Town Council, provided however, that any such ordinance changing the salary of the councilors, or of the President of the Town Council, shall become effective at the first Town Council meeting after the next general election. No action changing the salary of the Town Council shall be taken within thirty (30) days preceding a general election.” (Amends Section 3.10)

18. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – TOWN

COUNCIL (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004)
Section 3.14 Powers and Duties: Shall Section J concerning the appropriation and/or transfer of money from the unreserved, undesignated fund balance of the general fund requiring the affirmative vote of six (6) members of the Town Council, be changed to include the loan of money from the general fund with an exception from the six vote requirement when the Town Council declares an emergency exists affecting the health, welfare or safety of the community then five (5) votes in the affirmative shall be sufficient? (Amends 3.14 J)

19. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – TOWN COUNCIL (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004)
Shall the following Section (P) be added to the Powers and Duties of the Town Council: “No department agency, board or commission of the Town, including the School and Sewer Departments, but excluding the Burrillville Housing Authority, shall modify the health, retirement and pension benefit programs of its employees resulting in increased costs or expenditures to the Town without prior approval of the Town Council. Approval shall be by a vote of the Town Council. A minimum of four (4) affirmative votes is required to approve modifications (S). Modifications made by the providers of the health, retirement and pension plans do not require approval by the Town Council.” (Amends 3.14 by adding (P).)

20. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – TOWN CLERK (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004)
Shall the following language be added to the duties of the Town Clerk:

4.02(E) “The town clerk shall be the repository of certified copies of approved minutes of all town boards, committees, including the school committee, commissions and agencies. Such records shall be maintained by the Clerk in a centralized area and be available for public inspection.”

21. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – TOWN MANAGER (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 5.01 Appointment Qualifications Compensation be amended by adding the following? “The Town Manager may be reappointed by the Town Council for a term of two (2) to five (5) years.” (Amends Section 5.01)

22. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – TOWN MANAGER (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the following language be added to Section 5.03 Acting Town Manager? “If for any reason the Manager failed to designate a qualified administrative officer and the need arose, the Town Council shall have the authority to make an appointment.” (Amends Section 5.03)

23. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE MANAGER (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 5.04.1 to be changed to set out a process for hiring new employees by the Department Heads and/or the Town Manager, and for cause, discipline, dismiss, demote and suspend employees assigned to his/her department, and set forth a procedure for appealing any such action? (Amends Section 5.04.1 and replaces Section 9.07)

24. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - TOWN SOLICITOR (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the qualifications for the Town Solicitor be amended to include a prohibition on holding any other position in Town Government? (Amends Section 7.02)

25. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Sections 8.07 and 8.27 be amended to allow the Finance Director and the Tax Collector to give bond or be covered by insurance for the faithful performance of their duties? (Amends Sections 8.07 and 8.27)

26. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - TAX ASSESSOR (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 8.18 (H) be repealed as contrary to the requirements of state law? (Repeals Section 8.18 (H).)

27. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SERVICES (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall there be established a Department of Information Services as a stand-alone department, with its organization duties and responsibilities set forth in the Charter, replacing the Division of Information Services in the Finance Division? (New Article IX replaces Section 8.28)

28. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - PERSONNEL BOARD (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the classification Plan recommended by the Personnel Board be for all full time permanent employees who work thirty-five

(35) hours per week or more, excepting those noted elsewhere in the Charter? (Amends 9.03.1)

29. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - PERSONNEL BOARD (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 9.06 of the present charter be deleted and the following substituted therefore? “The Town Council shall by ordinance set forth the process for screening applicants, determining qualifications for specific positions in the Classification Plan, and submitting lists of qualified candidates to the appointing authority.” (Amends Section 9.06)

30. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - PERSONNEL BOARD (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 9.09 be amended so that any time the Town Council, School committee, or any Board or Commission appoints a search committee for the purpose of recommending individuals for employment the Town Council may designate a person who shall be a voting member of such search committee? (Amends Section 9.09)

31. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - PERSONNEL BOARD (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall there be established the position of Human Resource Administrator, either full time or part time, and establish the qualifications, duties and responsibilities of the Office? (Proposed Charter Section 10.10, 10.11 & 10.12)

32. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - SCHOOL COMMITTEE (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the members of the School Committee appointed to

any board or commission by the Town Council be limited to serve in a non-voting ex officio capacity? (Amends Section 11.03)

33. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - SCHOOL COMMITTEE (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 11.08, Presiding Officer, and Section 11.10, Organization Rules and Meetings, be combined into a single comprehensive section without any substantive change? (Amends 11.08 and 11.10)

34. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - SCHOOL COMMITTEE (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the School Committee be required to consult with the Town Council prior to establishing wages, salaries and benefit programs for all school employees which are consistent with wage and salary benefit programs currently in effect for a similarly-rated classification in the classified employment of the Town of Burrillville? (Amends Section 11.10C)

35. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the following language be added to 12.01 to make it comply with state law? “Approval of any land development or subdivision application requires a minimum of five (5) affirmative votes”. (Amends 12.01)

36. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the Town be authorized to establish the position of Economic Development Director and spell

**out the qualifications, duties and responsibilities of the position?
(Proposed Sections 13.15, 13.16, 13.17)**

**37. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER -
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY (Resolution of the Town Council
adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the qualifications for the position of
Chief of Police be changed to read as follows? “The Chief of Police
shall have at least five (5) years experience in any certified Law
Enforcement Agency and have experience in the organization,
administration, management and direction of Law Enforcement
personnel, and shall possess such other qualifications as the Town
Council may prescribe by ordinance.” (Amends Section 15.07)**

**38. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER -
RESIDENCE OF EMPLOYEES (Resolution of the Town Council
adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 19.02 requiring that all full time
employees of the town except the certified employees of the School
Department, and those specifically exempt, shall, during their
continuance of office or employment, reside in the Town of
Burrillville; provided, however, the Council may, by resolution,
specifically exempt a particular person from the provisions hereof if
the council shall declare that it is unable to find a resident of the
Town to meet the requirements of the position to be filled be
repealed? (Repeals Section 19.02)**

**39. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER -
SEWER COMMISSION (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July
28, 2004) Shall the reference to the law establishing the Sewer
Commission be changed to the correct citation, namely Public Laws**

1974 Chapter 25? (Amends Section 18.07)

40. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall there be a section of the Charter that recognizes the establishment of the Redevelopment Agency established in accordance with Chapter 45-31 of the Rhode Island General Laws? (Adds new Section 19.08)

41. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - TOWN SERGEANT (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 18.06 establishing the position of Town Sergeant be repealed? (Repeals Section 18.06)

42. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - APPLIES TO VARIOUS BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the provisions in various sections of the Charter that applied only to the implementation of the original terms of office when the first Town Charter was adopted be repealed as no longer applicable? (Amends Sections: 2.05 Board of Canvassers & Registration; 3.01 Town Council; 8.19 & 8.20 Board of Assessment Review; 9.01 Personnel Board; 11.01 School Committee; 12.07 Zoning Board of Review; 13.03 Planning Board.)

43. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - APPLIES TO VARIOUS BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the following Boards and Commissions be required to keep accurate records of their proceedings and forward certified copies of their approved minutes

to the Town Clerk's office to be available for public inspection: Board of Assessment Review, Budget Board, Conservation Commission, Personnel Board, Planning Board, Recreation Commission, School Committee, Sewer Commission, Zoning Board? (Amends Sections: 8.22, 9.02, 10.02, 11.10, 12.04, 12.08, 16.03 and 18.07.)

44. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - SUCCESSION IN GOVERNMENT (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the following sections of the Charter that addressed continuation of government when the first Charter was adopted be repealed? (17.03 Continuation of Government; 17.08 Transfer of Appropriations; 17.05 Transfer of Records and Property; 17.04 Continuation of Present Administrative Personnel be repealed.)

45. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – DEFINITIONS (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall a definition of the following terms used in the Charter be included in the definition section: Qualified Candidate, Alternate Member, Vacancy? (Proposed Charter Sections 20.01 (G), 20.01(H), 20.01(I).)

46. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – ZONING (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 12.08 (E) be amended by substituting the phrase “special use permit” in place of the phrase “special exception” in order to comply with Rhode Island General Laws (Amends 12.08 (E).)

47. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – ZONING (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall Section 12.08 (F) be amended by the term “application” to be used in

place of “appeal”. The change would comply with Rhode Island General Laws. (Amends Section 12.08(F).)

48. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER – ZONING (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the phrase “or by Town Ordinance” be added to Section 12.08 (I)? (Amends Section 12.08 (I).)

49. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - GENERAL PROVISIONS (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the definition of “Term of Office” be limited to the non-specified terms of office not specified in the Charter or by ordinance? (Amends Section 19.03)

50. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - PUBLIC RECORDS (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the following be substituted for the present language of Section 19.05 Public Records? “All public records shall be open to public inspection in accordance with the State of Rhode Island Open Records Law as it may be amended from time to time.”

51. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - GENERAL PROVISIONS (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall the following Boards and Commissions have alternate members appointed by the Council with the term of office and the duties set forth in the proposed section of the Charter, the alternate members of the Zoning Board to vote only on matters where they have been present for the entire public hearing? Board of Assessment Review -Proposed Section 8.19; Budget Board - Proposed Section 11.02; Personnel Board - Proposed Section 10.01;

Recreation Commission - Proposed Section 17.03; Zoning Board of Review - Proposed Section 13.05

52. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION: RECREATION COMMISSION (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004)
Shall the Recreation Commission consist of seven (7) regular members and two (2) alternate members appointed by the Town Council for three (3) year-staggered terms, with alternate members appointed for a term of one (1) year with any vacancy to be filled within sixty (60) days of such vacancy? (Proposed Sections 17.03 and 17.04)

53. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - GENERAL PROVISIONS (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004) Shall all references to “Council” and “Councilman” be changed to “Town Council” and “Councilor”; all references to “Committee” in the School Committee article be changed to “School Committee”; all pronouns be changed to gender neutral pronouns; and the definition of Council and masculine pronouns be removed?
(Various sections)

54. AMENDMENT TO BURRILLVILLE HOME RULE CHARTER - OTHER PROVISIONS (Resolution of the Town Council adopted July 28, 2004)
Shall the charter be amended by resolution of the Town Council to realign functions prescribed by the Charter to the appropriate departments and to make appropriate changes in the section and article numbers of the Charter to reflect the changes in the amendments adopted by the electors of the town, including the

authority to edit the language?

Said district meetings as the law directs, shall be kept open from 7:00 o'clock A.M. until 9:00 o'clock P.M.

Hereof fail not, but true return of your doings thereon.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Town of Burrillville on this twenty-second day of October, 2004.

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST:

LOUISE R. PHANEUF, TOWN CLERK

Providence, Sc. Burrillville, R.I., October 22, 2004

To the qualified voters of said Town of Burrillville: By virtue of the foregoing Warrant to be directed you are hereby notified to assemble in District Meetings at the time and places therein named and for the purposes therein set forth.

Burrillville Police Department

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND TOWN OF BURRILLVILLE
COUNTY OF PROVIDENCE October 22, 2004

In the Town of Burrillville, I have on this Twenty-Second day of October A.D. 2004 posted Canvassers' Notices giving notice of the General Election to be held in Voting Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in said Town on Tuesday, November 2, 2004 from 7:00 A.M. to 9:00 P.M. according to law.

District No. 1: Pascoag Post Office, Brigido's IGA Marketplace and the Pascoag Free Public Library

District No. 2: Dr. U.E. Zambarano Memorial Hospital and Serio's Pizzarama

District No. 3: Harrisville Post Office and Jesse M. Smith Memorial Library

District No. 4: Town Clerk's Office and Harrisville Fire Station

District No. 5: Mapleville Post Office and Glendale Post Office

District No. 6: Western Hills Xtra Mart

ATTEST:

Officer